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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant(s): Kenkichi KON)

Appl. No.: 10/721,236)

Filed: November 26, 2003)

For : MONO-TUBE TYPE HYDRAULIC)
SHOCK ABSORBER)

Atty. Dkt.: GOT 178)

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Examination of the application respectfully is requested. This paper is filed
in response to the first Office Action mailed July 15, 2004.

The amendment to paragraph 7 of claim 1 is supported in the specification
at page 4, line 9.

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